Developmental Announcements From Various Sections of South.

Baltimore, Md., May 11.—Among the Southern industrial and other devel-opmental enterprises reported in this week's issue of the Manufacturers'

Record are the following: American Cynimid Company, Nash ville, Tenn., arranged for \$2,000,000 adwille, Tenn., arranged for \$2,000,000 additional capital, \$1,000,000 to be invested for building plant near Florence, Ala., and \$1,000,000 for enlarging plant at Niagra Falls; this company manufactures atmospheric nitrogen and intends utilizing electricity from Mussel Shoals (on Tennessee River) for its Florence plant, when that waterpower is developed by the Alabama Interstate Power Company, of Interstate Power Company, of

nery, Ala. rn Traction Company. Waco. warded contract for construc-\$1,000,000 electric plant to electricity with 75 miles

lerney Coal Company, Powhatan, Va., was incorporated with \$860,-capital stock to develop coal pro-

W. Va. was incorporated with capital stock to mine coal. con, Ga., will be chartered to build in ge steam power plant generating circity for transmission for lightand power purposes, sammil Lumber Company, Pelahater, was incorporated with \$250, capital stock to manufacture lum-

Tennessee Hydro-electric Company, on. Tenn., recently incorporated initial capital stock of \$100,000.

horsepower steamplant, 250 my ap

mance Power Company, Burling-N. C. was organized to build electric plant at River Falls, on River and is issuing bonds for

Woodward Iron Company, Birmingnam. Ala., awarded contract for con-truction of 70 by-product coke ovens with daily capacity 1,120 tons, of coke,

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parent from observation that the Japs are comparatively heavy caters and that their didt consists Targely of rice, the most starchy and therefore the most fat forming of all grains. I had often wondered why, in spite of these facts, the natives of Japan, both men and women, always present such a slender, trim, neat appearance, Although corsets are rare in that country, the women there have beautiful figures that any American woman might well envy, and the Japanese men have strength and powers of endurance that are proverbial. After diligent inquiry about the cause of this, I became more than ever convinced that they were using there in Japan, methods of fat reduction find fat brevention far fat acqueries and production find fat brevention far in advance of anything known to medical science in this country. As the fadulty of suffin a

Positively void after May 27.

A Bohemian Settlement That Has Proven a Blessing to a State.

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An Experience Out West That Virginians May Well Take Note Of,

The Northern European immigrant farmer in the United States has a history almost as long as the country itself, Germans, Norwegians, Swedes, and representatives of other races of Northern Europe have become prosperous farmers in the West, Northwest, and Southwest, their children have become thoroughly Americanized, anare found engaged at the present time in agricultural, business and norfes. in agricultural, business and profes sional pursuits. its. As a rule they have thoroughly Americanized become so thoroughly Americanized that it is difficult to distinguish them from the native American population. A further study of this immigration subject should be of deep interest to Virginia forms and Virginia people

subject should be of deep interest to Virginia forms and Virginia people engaged in industrial pursuits. Southern and Eastern European. In the case of the southern and east-ern European immigrant of recent ar-rival in the United States, the situa-tion has been different Although ted alien colonies in the urban and uctual centres of the East and st. This condition of affairs has the Northern European immigrants of former Years, the Southern and East-Proctor Coal Company, Williams-burg, Ky., will develop land near Rod Ash, Ky., its plans comprising 6,000 and a daily capacity of 2,000 tons of coal.

National Mosaic Flooring Company, Mobile, Ala., manufacturer of patented life flooring from cement, will establish plants capitalized at \$100,000 each at Memphis, Tenn., and Richmond, Va., and later at some location in Texas, probably Houston, Dallas or San Antonio.

Monarch Carbon Black Company, Canreston, W. Va., was organized to build \$100,000 plant, at Cedar Grove, with daily capacity 4,000 pounds pure fass carbon black.

Florida Orange and Grapefruit Co., Ocala, Fia., recently incorporated with \$300,000 capital stock, will develop and grapefruit cultivation. Georgia Overhead Irrigation Co., Subsey of the Company, Company, Congrang of the United States for a number of years, however, their original purpose often changes, and they use their savings to buy a farm or a mingham, Ala., will expend \$50,000 to construct underground condition.

Birmingham Packing Company, Birmin

1500 arccs of land in Southern Florida for orange and grapefruit cultivation. Georgia Overhead Irrigation Co., Rome, Ga., was incorporated with \$300.000 capital stock to construct overhead irrigation systems.

Consolidated Overhead Irrigation Co., Rome, Ga., was incorporated with \$100,000 capital stock to manufacture oction goods.

American Hosiery Mills, Kerners-tille, N. C., will erect \$25,000 building in the Southern Europeans to go into agr wille, N. C., will erect \$25,000 building in the Southern Europeans to go into agr wille, N. C., will erect \$25,000 building of the future, it were overhead irrigation systems.

Merchanis Compress Company, Houston, Texas, increased capital stock to construct of construction of cotton south of the future, it were the contract for construction of cotton compress, freproof warchouse and build another compress.

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d living, some of the farmers selling \$2,000 worth of products during the

\$2,000 worth of products during the year.

The Bohemians apparently work harder and spend more time cultivating their crops and caring for the land than do the native farmers. The houses are frome structures. Many are neatly painted and comfortably furnished. Where one or two children are working in the cities, the houses are likely to be better furnished than when the entire family remains at home in the city the children have opportunity to see the style, the furniture, and the manner of living prevailing among Americans, and when at home on a visit are apt to inspire their parents with a desire for improvement. In this way the standard of living is raised to some extent.

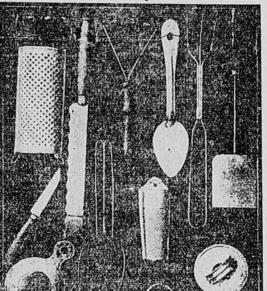
The women and children in some instances work in the field. It is difficult to persuade the girls to enter domestic service, as they usually prefer to remain on the farm. The Bohemians have little social intercourse with the natives. They live very comonically and spend less for food and clothing than the native farmers, being willing to forego pleasure and comfort in order to own land.

Ownership of Farms.

All the Bohemians own their farms Seventy-fice per cent of the farms have discharged their indebtness and the remainder have small amounts to pay, but it seems probable that their farms will be free from debt in a short period. In all cases the Bohemians have cleared more land than did their American predecessors. The barns and buildings have been repaired and the real estate in this community has increased in value generally since the arrival of the Bohemians. In 1901 land was selling from \$15 to \$20 per acre, but now very little land can be purchased for \$25 per acre, and the average price of land is from \$25 to \$45 per acre. The immigrants have a Roman Catholic church and school, the greatest number of these Bohemians being Catholics. They attend services which are held every Sunday, with great regularity.



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